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STATE FOR ARA/PAF, S/S, S/PRS AND PA; DEPARTMENT PASS
NSC FOR DR. BRZEZINSKI AND WHITE HOUSE FOR MR. POWERLL;
CARACAS FOR SECRETARY'S PARTY; USIA FOR IOP/M, ILA,
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SUBJECT: SECRETARY OF STATE VANCE'S VISIT: REMARKS TO AMERICAN
COMMUNITY

1. FOLLOWING ARE THE REMARKS OF SECRETARY VANCE
DELIVERED TO THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY AT THE AMERICAN
EMBASSY:

2. QUOTE: IT'S REALLY A DELIGHT AND A PLEASURE FOR
ME TO BE ABLE TO COME AND SPEND ALL TOO SHORT A TIME
THIS AFTERNOON WITH YOU HERE, BUT I DO WANT TO EXPRESS
MY HEARTFELT THANKS TO ALL OF YOU HERE AT THE EMBASSY,
THOSE OF YOU WHO ARE REGULAR MEMBERS OF THE STAFF AND
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ALSO TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY. I'D
LIKE TO EXTEND MY THANKS AND THE THANKS OF PRESIDENT
CARTER WHO ASKED THAT I DO THIS ON HIS BEHALF.

I KNOW HOW HARD ALL OF YOU WORK; I SEE THAT
PRODUCT ON A DAILY BASIS. I KNOW THE QUALITY OF THAT
PRODUCT, WHICH IS EXCELLENT, AND THEREFORE I KNOW HOW
GOOD ALL OF YOU MUST BE TO TURN OUT SUCH SPLENDID WORK.

I ESPECIALLY WANT TO THANK THE MEMBERS OF THE EMBASSY STAFF WHO ARE BRAZILIANS. WE APPRECIATE SO MUCH ALL THAT YOU ARE DOING TO HELP US IN THE RUNNING OF OUR EMBASSY HERE AND CARRYING OUT OF THE IMPORTANT BUSINESS BETWEEN OUR TWO NATIONS. THE FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE, INDEED, I THINK OF EVER GROWING IMPORTANCE AND, THEREFORE, ALL OF US BACK IN WASHINGTON ARE DEEPLY INEBTED TO YOU FOR ALL THAT YOU ARE DOING AND I KNOW WILL DO IN THE FUTURE.

I ALSO WANT TO SAY TO THE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY THAT YOU ALSO ARE CONTRIBUTING GREATLY TO THE RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN OUR COUNTRIES, TO BETTER UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE PEOPLES OF OUR TWO COUNTRIES, WHICH IS OF FUNDAMENTAL IMPORTANCE TO US.

SO I THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART FOR WHAT YOU ARE DOING, AND WHAT I WOULD LIKE TO DO IS TO COME DOWN AND GET A CHANCE TO SHAKE HANDS WITH YOU AND PERHAPS TALK WITH MOST OF YOU INDIVIDUALLY, SO AGAIN, MANY, MANY THANKS. LET ME COME DOWN AND HAVE A CHANCE TO CHAT.

BY THE WAY, LET ME INTRODUCE, BEFORE I DO, MY COLLEAGUES: THIS IS JOHN TRATTNER, PUBLIC AFFAIRS, PAT DERIAN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, TERRY TODMAN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR LATIN AMERICAN AFFAIRS, JOE NYE, DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY IN THE FIELD OF NUCLEAR MATTERS, AMBASSADOR SMITH, AMBASSADOR-AT-UNCLASSIFIED

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LARGE, ONE OF THE MOST DISGUINSHIED PUBLIC SERVANTS WE'VE HAD WHO'S SERVED IN MANY, MANY ADMINISTRATIONS AND WHO IS HANDLING ALL THE NUCLEAR NEGOTIATIONS FOR US THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, JULIUS KATZ, ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, AND BOB PASTOR, WHO IS ON THE NSC STAFF.

SO THANK YOU ALL FOR LETTING ME COME DOWN AND BE WITH YOU. UNQUOTE.
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